

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE  
ALASKA CARPENTERS DEFINED  
CONTRIBUTION TRUST FUND,

Plaintiff,

vs.

PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

Defendant.

NO. 2:22-cv-01337-JNW

**STIPULATED MOTION AND ORDER  
FOR EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR  
DEFENDANT TO FILE ANSWER TO  
PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT**

**NOTED FOR MOTION ON:  
NOVEMBER 16, 2023**

**STIPULATED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Defendant Principal Life Insurance Co. ("Defendant") and Plaintiff The Board of Trustees for the Alaska Carpenters Defined Contribution Trust Fund ("Plaintiff"), by and through their undersigned counsel, stipulate to a limited extension of time for Defendant to file its Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint.

On September 21, 2022, Plaintiff filed its Complaint. Dkt. 1. On November 15, 2022, Defendant filed its Motion to Dismiss. Dkt. 14. After the parties completed their briefing on

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1 Defendant's Motion to Dismiss, the Court entered its order denying the motion on November 3,  
2 2023. Dkt. 27. Accordingly, Defendant's Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint is currently due  
3 November 17, 2023.

4 The parties have conferred in good faith and believe that an extension of two weeks is  
5 necessary given the complexity of Plaintiff's Complaint and allegations, Defendant's counsel's  
6 need to confirm Defendant's answers to the same with their client, and the upcoming  
7 Thanksgiving Holiday. The requested extension of time will not affect any other deadlines in  
8 this case.  
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10 Therefore, the Parties respectfully request that the Court extend the due date for  
11 Defendant to file its Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint from November 17, 2023 to December 1,  
12 2023.  
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14 IT IS SO STIPULATED, THROUGH COUNSEL OF RECORD on this 16th day of  
15 November, 2023.

16 Dated: November 22, 2023

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**ORDER**

Based on the foregoing stipulated motion of the parties, therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the due date for the Defendant's Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint is extended from November 16, 2023 to December 1, 2023.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 22nd day of November 2023.



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Jamal N. Whitehead  
United States District Judge